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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am an original, first, and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **LONGITUDINALLY FLEXIBLE STENT** the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

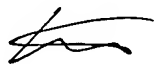
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REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.36 AND APPOINTMENT OF ATTORNEY

Sir:

Medinol, Ltd. is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified patent application, by an Assignment recorded on May 18, 2000 at Reel/Frame 010853/0261.

As assignee of record of the entire interest of the above-identified application, I hereby revoke all powers of attorney previously given.

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